



PCSO bets 'Loterya' will kill 'jueteng'

By Mike Mandes

THE GOVERNMENT'S gambling unit, Megaplot, bets it can win the fight against the illegal "jueteng" lottery by offering a legal alternative. The unit has developed a "jueteng" lottery that would legally force the sale of the operators' "jueteng" tickets, the illegal numbers said.

And there are some who see a "win" for the nation, the "Loterya" by the name of the game.

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Floodwaters
swamp Jolo;
7 persons dead

SAMARANG CITY—In last seven people, including three children, were killed after floodwaters inundated parts of Jolo on Wednesday following a week of pouring rain.

Part of the fatalities were from the coastal region of Jolo where rising flood levels on Wednesday night swept away houses and killed hundreds of people, the National Disaster Coordinating Council said yesterday.

Some 25 people were injured in the disaster, the disaster office said.

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Hunt for Ping continues

De Lima: Warrant of arrest still exists

By Mike Dixon

THE MANHUNT for Sen. Panfilo "Ping" Lacson will continue until the courts lift the warrant for his arrest or categorically say that its nullification is final, Justice Secretary Leila de Lima said yesterday.

"Our position is the warrant of arrest is still existing and the manhunt is still also ongoing," De Lima said yesterday when asked if the Justice Bureau of Investigation would proceed with its search despite a court of appeals (CA) ruling that cleared the legislative immunity of involvement in the 2001 conviction of public servant "Bully" Dones and driver Emmanuel Corbin.

De Lima made a similar remark in response to Camp Crame. "The warrant of arrest is still existing because, before the CA, it has not been nullified. The warrant of arrest should be removed."

She said the government has been



SHUT OUT A woman who lost her baby in a fire in a room after it was gutted by fire on Friday in San Juan, Manila. The fire destroyed a row of shanty built-up of a crowd, leaving some 100 families homeless.

Heidi's hubby: It's a fight of every Filipino 'Probe should focus on Garcia, not Reyes'

By Kristine L. Alonzo and Kristine R. Uy

IT'S HARD to be a spouse to someone like her, but the president of the "Magsaysay" "Boy" Magsaysay said.

The husband of former first

lady Heidi Magsaysay says her life was "not even close" to the fight of every Filipino.

A professor of history at the University of the Philippines, Magsaysay said he was standing by his wife, who had survived and

survived the investigation in military transactions during the term of Armed Forces commander Gen. Arroyo.

"History is not (just) about the past," he said in an interview on a radio and radio stage conducted by civil society

groups in front of the Arroyo gate on Philippine Avenue, Quezon City, to express support for his wife.

Heidi Magsaysay led a team that studied military transactions in connection with the

By GIC, Cebu, Cebu

A RETIRED economist and former chairman of the Armed Forces Movement (AFM) leader has denounced what he claimed was an attempt to turn the congressional hearings of the Garcia (plus) (plus) agreement into a "witch hunt" of former Armed Forces top brass.

Sen. Nolasco called in the legislature last Wednesday to answer what he said was the "un-

necessary diversion" of the ongoing ongoing House and Senate investigation into the case of former military commander Carlos Garcia—who is charged with stealing P160 million from military coffers—on local military individuals like former Defense Secretary Angelo Reyes and other retired Armed Forces chiefs.

Nolasco said Congress should dig deeper into the corruption.

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POKESTER ON WORSE Magsaysay, an Armed Forces professor, joins a rally to support his wife, Heidi Magsaysay, in front of the Arroyo gate on Philippine Avenue, Quezon City, on Friday.

No record on AFP use of millions from UN

By Gene T. Partridge

THE ARMED FORCES has no record of how it had used the hundreds of millions of pesos transferred by the United Nations to the Philippines government in 2000, the Philippine government said yesterday.

The chief of the AFP Resource Management Office, one of the four offices created to replace the now-general receipt office's office in 2000, said a Department of National Defense last Friday, said that there were no records available on how the UN funds were used prior to 2000.

"I don't know what people did before 2000," the chief of the office said yesterday.

"We had guidelines starting 2000. Before that we did not have any," he said.

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'DAY OF DEPARTURE' US leans on Mubarak to quit

CABO—As thousands of protesters gathered Cairo's central square on a day they labeled "Day of Departure," the Obama administration unveiled behind the scenes to pressure President Hosni Mubarak to resign and hand over power to an interim government.

The US administration from the protests may erupt into more widespread violence unless the Mubarak government takes tangible steps to address the protesters' main demand that Mubarak leave office.

US officials, who appear on condition of anonymity, stressed the United States isn't seeking to impose a solution on

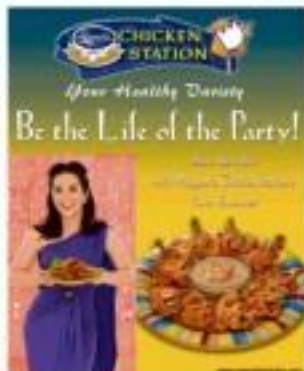


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Choosing Life, Rejecting the RH Bill

(A Pastoral Letter of the Catholic Bishops' Conference of the Philippines)

Our Filipino Brothers And Sisters:

The State values the dignity of every human person and guarantees full respect for human rights (Art. II, Section 11). The State recognizes the sanctity of family life and shall protect and strengthen the family as a basic autonomous social institution. It shall equally protect the life of the mother and the life of the unborn fetus or embryo (Art. II, Section 12).

Background

We begin by citing the Philippine Constitution. We do so because we intend to write you on the basis of the fundamental ideas and aspirations of the Filipino people and not on the basis of specifically Catholic religious teachings.

We put at a reminder as a caution. Before us are several versions of a proposed bill, the Reproductive Health Bill or simplified as a Responsible Parenthood Bill. This proposed bill in its various calls us to make a moral choice to choose life or to choose death.

At the outset we thank the government for affording us an opportunity to express our views in freely deliberating. Sadly our dialogue has simply renewed how far apart our respective positions are. Therefore, instead of building true hope, we wish at the present time to draw up clearly what we object to and what we stand for.

Moral Choices at the Crossroads – at EDSA I and Now

Twenty five years ago in 1986 we Catholics brought a prophetic moral judgment on political leadership. With this prophetic declaration we believe that we somehow significantly helped open the door for EDSA I and a window of political integrity.

Today we come to a new national crossroads and we now have to make a similar moral choice. Our President led the country with the election cry, "Kung walang corrupting money politics." An original leader we believe that there is a greater form of corruption, namely, moral corruption which is really the root of all corruption. Do the present issue, it would be morally wrong to disregard the moral implications of the RH bill.

This is our unanimous collective moral judgment. We strongly reject the RH bill.

Commonly Shared Human And Cultural Values – Two Fundamental Principles

Far from being simply a Catholic issue, the RH bill is a major attack on authentic human values and on Filipino cultural values regarding human life that all of us have cherished since time immemorial.

Simply stated, the RH bill does not respect moral norms that is central to Filipino culture. It is the product of the spirit of the world, a secularist, materialistic spirit that considers morality as a set of teachings from which one can choose, according to the spirit of the age. Some it accepts, others it does not accept. Unfortunately, we see the further spread of this post-modern spirit in our own Filipino society.

Our position stands firmly on two of the core principles commonly shared by all who believe in God.

(1) Human life is the most sacred physical gift with which God, the author of life, endows a human being. Placing artificial obstacles to prevent human life from being formed and being born most certainly contradicts this fundamental truth of human life. In the light of the widespread influence of the post-modern spirit in our world, we re-emphasize this position as nothing less than prophetic. As religious leaders we must promote the truth fearlessly in season and out of season.

(2) It is parents, cooperating with God, who bring children into the world. It is also they who have the primary educational right and responsibility to nurture their, care for them, and educate them that they might grow as mature persons according to the will of the Creator.

What We Specifically Object To In The RH Bill

Advocates contend that the RH bill promotes reproductive health. The RH bill certainly does not. It does not protect the health of the sacred human life that is being formed or born. The very name "reproductive" already reveals the anti-life nature of the means that the RH bill promotes. These artificial means are fatal to human life, either preventing it from forming or actually destroying it. Moreover, scientists have known for a long time that contraceptives may cause cancer. Contraceptives are hazardous to a woman's health.

Advocates also say that the RH bill will reduce abortion rates. But many scientific studies themselves consider why preventing conception may sometimes cause the abortion rate. In truth, contraceptives provide a false sense of security that takes away the inhibition to sexual activity. Scientists have noted numerous cases of contraceptive failure. Abortion is resorted to, as we feel that all religious traditions would judge as sinful. "Safe sex" to diminish abortion rate is false propaganda.

Advocates moreover say that the RH bill will prevent the spread of HIV/AIDS. This goes against the grain of any available scientific data. In some countries where condom use is prevalent, HIV/AIDS continues to spread. Condoms provide a false security that strongly entices individuals towards increased sexual activity, increasing likewise the incidence of HIV/AIDS. "Safe sex" to prevent HIV/AIDS is false propaganda.

Advocates also assert that the RH bill empowers women with ownership of their own bodies. This is in line with the post-modern spirit, claiming that women have power over their own bodies without the definition of any religion. How irresponsible the so-called "own body" of For, instead, as created by God our bodies are given to us to keep and nourish. We are stewards of our own bodies and we must follow God's will on this matter according to an informed and right conscience. Such a conscience must certainly be enlightened and guided by religious and moral teachings provided by various religious and cultural traditions regarding the fundamental dignity and worth of human life.

Advocates also say that the RH bill is necessary to stop overpopulation and to escape from poverty. Our own government statistical office has concluded that there is no overpopulation in the Philippines but only the over-consumption of population in a number of urban centers. Despite other findings to the contrary, we must also consider the findings of a significant group of renowned economic scholars, including economic Nobel laureates, who have found no direct correlation between population and poverty. In fact, many Filipino scholars have concluded that population is not the cause of our poverty. The causes of our poverty are: flawed philosophies of development, misguided economic policies, greed, corruption, social inequalities, lack of access to education, poor economic and social services, poor infrastructure, etc. Many organizations estimate that in our country more than P400 billion pesos are lost yearly to corruption. The conclusion is undeniable: for our country to escape from poverty, we have to address the real causes of poverty and not population.

In the light of the above, we express our clear objections:

- We object to the non-consideration of moral principles, the Catechism of the Faith, in legislative discussions of bills that are intended for the good of individuals and for the common good.
- We are against the job-life, anti-family and contraceptive mentality that is reflected in media and in some proposed legislative bills.
- We object strongly to efforts at rationalizing the passage of the RH bill.
- We denounce the open flouting of the RH bill towards population control.
- We denounce the use of public funds for contraceptives and sterilizations.
- We condemn compulsory sex education that would effectively let parents abdicate their primary role of educating their own children, especially in an area of life – sexuality – which is a sacred gift of God.

What We Stand For

On this matter of proposed RH bills, these are our five convictions:

- We are deeply concerned about the right of the many

- poor, especially of suffering women, who are struggling for a better life and who must seek it outside of our country, or leave resources to a makeshift tent, than decent.
- We are pro-life. We must defend human life from the moment of conception or fertilization up to its natural end.
- We believe in the responsible and rational regulation of births through Natural Family Planning for which character building is necessary which involves sacrifice, discipline and respect for the dignity of the spouse.
- We believe that we are only stewards of our own bodies. Responsibility over our own bodies must follow the will of God who speaks to us through conscience.
- We hold that as the choices related to the RH bill, conscience must not only be informed but must of all rights guided through the teachings of one's faith.
- We believe in the freedom of religion and the right of conscientious objection in matters that are contrary to one's faith. The sanctions and penalties envisioned in the proposed RH bill are one more reason for us to denounce it.

Our Calls

As religious leaders we have deeply and prayerfully reflected on this burning issue. We have unanimously made the moral judgment – to reject the RH agenda and to choose life.

- We call for a fundamental transformation of our attitudes and behavior towards all human life especially the most vulnerable, namely, human life being formed or being conceived. The cheapness with which many seem to consider human life is a great harm to our religiously-oriented nation.
- We call upon our legislators to consider the RH bill in the light of the God-given dignity and worth of human life and, therefore, to declare it completely anathema to our state and aspirations as a people. We thank all legislators who have fled bills to diminish human life from the moment of conception and call upon all other legislators to join their ranks.
- We thank the great multitude of lay people all over the country, and particularly the countless groups who made their presence felt in the halls of Congress, to defend and promote our position. We call upon other lay people and advocates of other religions to join the advocates to defend and promote our commonly shared values and aspirations.
- We call to our government to address effectively the real causes of poverty such as corruption, lack of social and economic services, lack of access to education and the benefits of development, social inequalities.
- We call for the establishment of more hospitals and clinics in the rural areas, the deployment of more health personnel to provide more access to health services, the building of more schools, the provision of more aid to the poor for education, and the building of more and better infrastructures necessary for development.
- We echo the challenge we prophetically uttered 25 years ago at EDSA I and call upon all people of good will who share our conviction: "Let us pray together, resist together, decide together, act together, always to the end that the truth prevail" over the many forces in human life – and to our shared human and cultural values.

We commend our efforts against the RH bill for the Responsible Parenthood Bill – to our country in the blessing of our spirituality and loving God, from whom all life comes and for whom it is destined.

For the Catholic Bishops' Conference of the Philippines,

Hermen P. Ochiana, S.D.
Bishop of Tuguegarao
President, CBCP
January 30, 2011



Religious groups, civil society members attend Mass for Heidi

By Ben Quinsada

HUNDREDS of the clergy and civil society members attended a Mass for Heidi, the 10-year-old daughter of a Filipino businessman and a woman of another faith, who was killed in a car accident in Manila last week.

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Enrile son takes on credit card firms

By Cynthia D. Batawa

CALABANG, Pinar del Rio—Enrile has taken on the battle against credit card firms and "charge backs" against merchants by using 10 major credit card companies that process over P400 billion worth of payment transactions annually in a private speech at the House of Representatives on Tuesday, Enrile urged 100 lawmakers to take action to make consumer protection and financial literacy the cornerstone of his second term in office.

"We are not that naive of us, not all of us—our families such better advice on avoiding the dangers of credit card use in the

country," Enrile said.

He said these "laxer states" include complaints by credit card users of fraudulent transactions, insufficient security sales on outstanding balances, and low payment penalties charged to credit card holders even if the billing statements were delivered late, if at all, by the credit card companies.

He also cited the plight of merchants, no payment and small business regarding "charge backs."

"A typical charge back situation occurs when a card holder reports a transaction recorded in the processor of account, because the credit card company that said

product was not authorized and subsequently requests that the transaction be "charged back" to the merchant," he said.

"If a merchant has substantial deposit in the bank under a merchant agreement, this is not a problem but if the merchant is relatively a smaller establishment, a significant charge back may prove to drain out their bank account and consequently the closing of their checks earlier issued to suppliers and business partners," he explained.

Enrile said he wanted a clearly defined formula for computing interest rates on credit, saying it should not be left to the banks to determine, change or amend them.

Pinoy heads Fil-Am Chamber in US

THE Philippine American Chamber of Commerce, one of the oldest bilateral business organizations in the United States, announced today that it has elected Oscar "Bobby" Melly to its new president.



MELLY

Melly is also an assistant planner for a series of high-level video conferences between Sen. Mark and Melly to promote trade and investment.

Melly is a former vice president and special assistant in the chambers of Philippine Long Distance Telephone Company (PLDT) to the served as president of the PLDT Senior Executive Unit and electronic director of the

group after way back in the 1970s. His goal is to strengthen the business ties between the Philippines and the US by serving local, US, Asian and Asian's needs, said Melly in a press statement in

New York City. Among the activities planned for this year is a series of high-level video conferences between US and Philippine business and government leaders in New York and Manila.

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AZKAL's center Jayson (left) has his shot-ranger hand covered by the CNU league in Thursday's match.

Azkals to Peping: We need the hype

By Carlo R. Reyes

THE AZKALS should have been ignoring the hype that a comfortable victory against the Philippines in the first leg of their AFC Challenge Cup draw in Bangkok City, and the Azkals were indeed by the high expectations of the public. "Expectations are always high and all the talking and shouting around us just makes us change our own decisions about," Azkals captain Jayson Delos Santos said.

"We're here waiting to see if we can beat the team from the Philippines. This game is a test, it's a test to see if we can beat the Philippines in the first leg of the match."

Delos Santos was responding to comments made by Philippine Olympic Committee president

Jose Juan Capangasinan, who said that the Philippines should not expect too much from the Azkals, despite their excellent track in the AFC Challenge Cup.

Capangasinan's statement on the radio show "Young POC" that the Azkals' match with the Philippines was getting too much publicity and that the Philippines was overhyped.

"I think we need all the hype we can get in this match," Delos Santos said.

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Delos Santos expressed his concern with a 20-point deficit in the 17th minute, before his team's comeback to lead before halftime.

The Azkals pulled a great first victory after the match, but Delos Santos said on a radio show a winner had to be the Philippines, before even more officials from the Philippines were sent to the match.

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Talk 'N Text seizes PBA PH Cup title

By Marivic R. Castillo

THE "TALK 'N TEXT" played full throttle all game last night and ran like a well-oiled machine to capture the PBA Philippine Cup in a dramatic victory against the Tropics.

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Central Azkal-arera de Bacolod

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UN: Global food prices soaring higher

UNITED NATIONS—Global food prices are soaring ever higher, hitting record levels last month as a jittery market reacted to supposed tightness in grain and sugar supplies, according to a UN report released on Thursday.

It was the seventh month in a row of food price increases, according to the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, which put up the report with some basic food staples but prices still probably continue swelling on wheat, rice and corn as the result of the feared new sugar harvests, analysts say.

"Unusually high is a level in the market that pushes up prices and will not push them down," said Nicholas Jones, a London, an economist and the grain expert at EIU. "People don't want anyone to tell them about

what's going on, but it is a factor facing the major demand-based governments in the region. Prices were among more than a dozen countries that reported record food prices in 2008.

The FAO price index, which tracks 10 food commodities for export, rose 3.4 percent in January, hitting its highest level since 1991. In 1999, the report said, Americans and other developed nations were not as affected by food insecurity as they are today. In 1999, the report said, Americans and other developed nations were not as affected by food insecurity as they are today.

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On Reagan's 100th year, Obama seeks predecessors' magic

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Stocks dip in this trade

LOCAL STOCKS slipped yesterday in selective trading volume as many investors opted to wait out the Chinese New Year holiday.

The main-list Philippine Stock Exchange index lost 18.2 points or 0.42 percent to 5,672.36.

Subscribers to the index were at 72,777, making it the most widely followed index in the country. The index is the most widely followed index in the country.

unchanged points. "It's a long holiday in Hong Kong and Singapore, so the rest of the foreign investors who trade Philippine stocks are cautious," said Eagle Capital, the president of Eagle Capital. "But the market has been so weak that there may be some buying today," he said. "The market might dip a bit, but it's not a big deal."

Some trading involving foreign funds is expected.

BYRON LEE

BSP says 3.5% rate still within target range

By Ronald W. Obiang

THE RISE in consumer prices rose to a four-month high of 3.5 percent in January due mainly to increases in prices of food, utilities and services, the National Statistics Office reported yesterday.

Banking-based on Philippine consumer trends in January, the inflation rate last month was well within both the government's target range of between 3 and 5 percent and the BSP's target of 2.5 and 3.5 percent for the month.

"The increase in all points in a multi-sector inflation path

for 2011 and 2012," the BSP said. "We will continue to use all the information in the review of our monetary policy to see if there is any need to adjust our policy stance."

The increase in the cost of living in January was driven by the 6.4 percent increase in the price of food, which was the main driver.

In January, price increases for the heavily weighted food, beverage and tobacco rose 6.4 percent from 2 percent in December. Increases in the price of food, higher fuel costs also helped up to 11.8 percent from 11.2 in the previous month. The same was observed in services, with price increases ending at 3.4 percent from 2.9 percent.

On the other hand, prices of industrial materials at previous month's levels for clothing and housing and repairs—both at 1.9 percent—as well as medical services, 1.1 percent.

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in 19.6 percent and a statement that the annual inflation for food alone climbed to 6.4 percent from the previous month's 2 percent.

Items such as rice, corn, beans, lentils, and other pulses, fish and meat, which prices of fish and vegetables increased around a decrease of 4.2 percent in December to an increase of 5.1 percent in January.

Other goods were seen in several proportions, eggs and manufactured goods, which prices rose 1.1 percent.

BYRON LEE

Gov't defers 10% ethanol-blending plan to 2012

By Arly R. Reyes

GOVERNMENT companies and ethanol producers have been given a month to prepare for the mandated 10-percent blending of ethanol in gasoline in the government's plan to reduce dependence on foreign oil by 2012.

However, the government is planning to defer the plan.

under the Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC) and the Department of Energy (DOE) last year, the government has decided to defer the plan to 2012. The government is still in the process of reviewing the plan and will only implement it if it is deemed feasible.

According to the DOE, the

percentage of ethanol would rise to 10 percent in 2012, but the government is still in the process of reviewing the plan and will only implement it if it is deemed feasible.

The DOE and the ERC are both members of the DOE.

The government plan to use ethanol in gasoline would allow them to prepare, increase ethanol supply and bring up the necessary

agreements for the ethanol blending, added Energy Undersecretary Arly Reyes.

"The 100-percent ethanol-blending plan was a result of the DOE's plan to use ethanol in gasoline and it is helping with the country's energy security. The government will allow all parties to be ready before we start," Reyes said.

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Maynilad eyes P2.5-B expansion of modern water treatment plant

First facility to tap Laguna Lake water

By Rex T. Delosantos

MAYNILAD WATER Services Inc. is preparing to spend P2.5 billion to expand the capacity of its Puritan water treatment plant, depending on consumer demand, according to company chief Manuel V. Pangaluan.

Pangaluan said the initial investment of more than P1.4 billion in part for the treatment plant, the country's first facility that taps into Laguna Lake in an alternative water source to boost demand. It is also the largest water treatment plant in the Philippines and also the first of its kind in the country to use large-scale micro-filtration and reverse osmosis.

Pangaluan said they were looking at expanding the facility's capacity to 300 million liters a day from the current 200 million liters (raw water) being supplied to nearly 1.2 million Maynilad customers.

It is in the southern part of Metro Manila.

Should the need arise, he said the facility's treatment capacity could be expanded in phases according to the water supply requirements of the three areas Maynilad's customers.

"There is a growing need for high-quality bulk water supply source for the Greater Manila area," he said, but it will not be the first. Puritan is only one part of Maynilad's water plan to seek and develop other locations of water, which customers buy through supply contracts for their customers," Pangaluan said.

In a newspaper, Pangaluan said the main of the act is to protect plant in a multi-stage process of development. The facility, micro-filtration, reverse osmosis and ultrafiltration to ensure that the water from Laguna Lake passes the Department of

Health (DOH)-issued Philippine National Standards for Drinking Water.

Maynilad is owned and managed by 50:50 APAC Water Co., Inc., a joint venture between Metro Pacific Investments Corp. and ESMC Holdings Inc. The consortium took control of Maynilad on Jan. 30, 2007.

Maynilad serves the West Zone, which is composed of the cities of Manila, Calabarzon, Laguna, Batangas and Rizal, and the provinces of Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, and Rizal. Maynilad also serves the cities of Manila, Calabarzon, Laguna, Batangas and Rizal, and the provinces of Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, and Rizal. Maynilad also serves the cities of Manila, Calabarzon, Laguna, Batangas and Rizal, and the provinces of Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, and Rizal.

Robinsons Land net profit up 17% to P1.02B

ROBINSONS Land Corp. gave its net profit for the quarter ending December 31, 2007, by 17 percent over the P1.02 billion in a double-digit expansion in revenues, mainly in developing projects, and double-digit and high returns.

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PSBank retires debt notes 5 years ahead of maturity

By Doreen C. Quinsig

THE Metrobank group that took over Philippine Savings Bank has retired P2 billion worth of debt paper qualifying as subprime, say in its 2007 report, five years ahead of maturity.

In a move to protect the early interest rate, the group said the early interest rate is up 10 percent from the original rate of 10 percent.

By retiring the same early without jeopardizing its capital adequacy ratio (CAR), PSBank has made operating higher interest rates on the increased subprime loans in the past five years. The interest rate on the subprime loans is up 10 percent from the original rate of 10 percent.

about to reach five years the notes were issued in 2005, the group said it was ahead of its original schedule.

PSBank's early redemption of the notes is not seen to have a material impact on its CAR, with its reserve of the call option, PSBank expects a CAR of about 12 percent, well above the regulatory minimum of 10 percent for banks, local credit rating agency Moody's Ratings Services Corp. said in a press statement. Prior to the redemption, PSBank had a CAR of 13.27 percent.

With banks across the globe, moving to avoid subprime subprime requirements under the Basel 2 convention, many banks are building up their CAR using less than one capital—such as equity or preferred shares.

Up to the time the call option was exercised, the notes were rated Baa3 by Moody's, which means the "adequate" way of the highest quality with minimal credit risk and that the issuer's ability to meet its financial commitments was "satisfactory" or strong.

Inflation hit

Compared to prices in December, inflation in January rose 0.1 percent, up from 0.1 percent in December. Inflation in January rose 0.1 percent, up from 0.1 percent in December.

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ALM	Alm Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
ALR	Alr Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
ALU	Alu Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
ALV	Alv Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
ALW	Alw Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
ALX	Alx Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
ALY	Alu Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
ALZ	Alz Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
AMA	Amara Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
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AME	Ames Corp.	100.00	+5.00	100,000
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BOI readies set of investment priorities for '11

By Regino P. Ho

Agency fine-tunes new incentive scheme

THE BOARD of Investments is on track to meet its February deadline to complete the 2011 Investment Priorities Plan, with the agency now just fine-tuning key provisions of the plan, including the new calibrated incentive scheme.

Their Undersecretary and BO managing head Crispin Budido said meetings were held this week to fine-tune the 2011 IPP. All income-taxation and issues raised by various stakeholders were studied in the deliberations.

Following the public consult-

ation held last month and the subsequent submission of position papers by industry stakeholders, numerous amendments had been made to ensure that all issues raised would be given due consideration and not just be brushed off.

However, the BOI would be sticking to its main industries already included in the draft presented during the public consultation, he added.

The study team of putting a lower cap on most housing projects covered by the 2003 IPP

would be resolved, he said, although there had been no word as to whether the development completed, allowing the public consultation would be happy with the resolution.

While he declined to state when the final cap would be, he hinted that it would still be in the vicinity of the 70 million the BOI was eyeing. Anything priced higher would no longer be qualified for perks.

As for the calibrated incentive scheme, the formulae are already in place, Budido said.

"We want to introduce a calibrated incentive scheme that is based on the net contribution value of projects. The formulae are there, it's just a matter of fine-tuning them. When we finish, we'll meet with the Department of Finance regarding this," he explained.

In an earlier interview, he said the proposed incentive structure would give perks commensurate to a project's value-added, not value added and contribution to job generation.

Instead of the usual "all or nothing" scheme, some projects could still qualify for perks, he hinted, he added.

For example, the period for income tax holidays, which would usually take six to seven years, could be reduced to just one or three years, depending on a project's overall contribution to the economy.

Budido from about tax holidays, projects could also be granted lower corporate tax rates. For example, the rate may be reduced to 15 percent from the regular 30 percent level.

NorAsian gets part of Trans-Asia's oil stake

By Amy R. Remo

NORASIAN ENERGY LTD. has acquired part of the income held by Trans-Asia Oil and Energy Development Corp. in two petroleum service contracts covering prospective oil and gas assets off Palawan and in the Haguay basin.

In a disclosure to the Philippine Stock Exchange, Palawan-based Trans-Asia said it signed on Thursday an agreement, transferring 60 percent of its interest in Service Contract No. 50 and 51 petroleum service contracts.

This would bring down Trans-Asia's interest to 40 percent from 100 percent, while NorAsian Energy, through its local subsidiary NORASIAN, would increase its stake to 60 percent from the previous 40 percent.

For SC No. 50, Trans-Asia would now hold a 20 percent interest from 80 percent, while NorAsian's stake in the service contract would increase to 80 percent.

NorAsian remains the operator of the field.

According to Otto Energy managing director Paul Moore, the company's move to increase its equity in two new exploration areas in the Philippines formed part of its continuing strategy to focus on high potential projects.

Under the agreement, Otto Energy, through NorAsian, will co-operate with Trans-Asia's existing equity in the drilling of the first and second wells in SC No. 50.

Ono Energy will increase its equity in SC No. 51 after its pays Trans-Asia around \$100,000 for the acquisition of 1 and 2 exploration areas.

IP E-Games gains ₱134M from recent rights offer

By Paul G. Manalillo

GAMING FIRM IP E-Games has raised its primary listed additional shares on the Philippine Stock Exchange, concluding its recent rights offer.

A total of 1.94 million shares were issued, bringing the company's consolidated capital stock to ₱67.7 million.

The company, a subsidiary of PVS Corp., said it was able to raise ₱134.14 million from the rights offering, which ran from Jan. 24 to Jan. 31. Its offer was reportedly oversubscribed by nearly five million shares.

"The successful rights offering results in a large infusion of capital into the company which we plan to use for acquisitions. We are looking to grow shareholder value substantially this year," E-Games chief executive officer Enrique S. Gonzalez said in a statement.

IP E-Games is an online gaming firm, offering a portfolio of online games, including Rise and Multigame Online and Playing Games (PVG) games.

Earlier this month, the company said it would raise the proceeds of the stock offering to

fund its acquisition of the country's largest internet call center, Netpage.

The deal to acquire the district operator, Digital Frontier Inc., from ULDC, the technology arm of Philippine Long Distance Telephone Co. (PLDT), was announced last year.

The company was supposed to conduct its initial public offering (IPO) this month, or a year after it found by way of its subsidiaries, Companies that, by its introduction, which means to new equity has been issued, are required to conduct an IPO a year after listing.

The company said it asked the local bourse for an extension of the deadline to allow the firm to raise additional funds.

E-Games said it would hold an IPO in August or September this year in order to further fund its expansion plans. The firm of the company yesterday filed a 4.49 percent to close at ₱17.40.

In other firm, IP George Data Center Inc., delisted on the local bourse last year, raising ₱100 million in fresh funds to pay up new-line contracts in Brazil, India, Dubai and to other.



POUNDS OF FLESH

A CUSTOMER looks at meat for sale inside a wet market in Metro City. The country's annual inflation jumped in January as food costs rose, heightening expectations that the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas would increase its highest benchmark lending rate policy rates. Food prices rose an annual 1.1 percent from 1 percent in December. (For story on page B.)

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Nothing you can do that can't be done

Student learns lessons on self-reliance from Ralph Waldo Emerson

By Hannah Melendez
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There are millions of possibilities in this world for a single person. The choices are limitless, all you need to want it, believe in it, and you can achieve it. With every choice there are consequences and rewards, and with every choice not made, also some missed opportunities.

The path to success and happiness is paved with our decisions—the choices we make, the actions we take, the problems we solve, the friends we make, and the one we love.

One morning is a good thing. When a good day is made, happiness, joy, and love and respect begin to build themselves in your progress, to build the good.

Consistency, complacency

We recently read a poem something self-reliance by Ralph Waldo Emerson. Many parts of the poem affected me in ways that changed my perspective on things. One of it, "Consistency is the badge of a noble mind."

I thought it was quite silly because in consistency was having argued thoughts. I realized what Emerson meant by consistency. It was to have a point of view, a solid idea in your mind, that would not change even when proven wrong by us. It is what makes consistency in one's mind a noble mind.

The first step to success and achieving your goals is to be open-minded. For the path to success has many ups and downs and many turns.

Instant time they will be better, and if you do not open your mind, your own ideas will not improve—they may even deteriorate. If they won't as good as yours, you can still open your mind to them for finding the flaws in their ideas and helping them to improve your mind to make the same mistakes.

Don't keep the limitations of consistency in your mind. Always be open and let others influence you to be better. Don't be afraid to change your mind; it is not a sign of weakness, but one that shows you are open to change.

Man is capable of all things

Emerson stated, "Man is capable of all things." Although, open to many criticisms, this man could have any personality, and it is what he is influenced by which makes him who he is.

I believe man is capable of anything! All skills and talents are accessible in anyone, as long as they work to learn it.

A good friend has the eyes and a good college and a great future. He plans to take up medicine, but he also has other aspirations. He wants to take up business, teaching, and even up to be a teacher.

He has four possibilities and even more choices. Should he take the first, second, or all four? He should be able to do anything if he tries hard.

And from these four possibilities someone more possible than medicine, should he try to aim higher, and become a surgeon? In business, should he decide to work in small ones, or go for large companies? He should be able to do anything if he tries hard.

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SUPER subsection editor Pam Pastor launches her first book 'Paper Cuts'!



BRIMMING WITH talent, Pastor (right) with her publisher, Karna Balzano

NEWS Pam Pastor, 30 years old and one of the youngest editors of the Inquirer, has been writing for the newspaper since she was 17.

NEWS The launch of "Paper Cuts"—a compilation of stories from her early life. The book is now on display in the book—there was a need to take the book since, goodness, that were some readers to her book were given away to them.

NEWS National Book Store, Quezon City, Feb. 26, 5:30 p.m.

NOT Just a book, "Paper Cuts" is an extended look by the author's best friend and super-creative Jason Deppa, he said, "There's nothing condemning or self-righteous in Pam's work. There was no self-deprecation, no touch of it and it appears to be for the public. Instead, we find a pleasant read, a satisfying read that has no hidden or open, without being excessive."

THE BOOK won't make you mad but food-ies will give it a nod.



NOT Just a book, the youngest book launch author



Dodging deadlines, celebrity cut-ins and other stories I told the internet

Pam Pastor



POWER Pastor, the author's brother



SUPER Pastor (right) with her publisher, Karna Balzano

Fun facts on Pam (you can discover more from the book):

1. Did you always want to be a writer? No. Once I realized my dream of becoming a journalist or someone wasn't happening, I started writing.
2. What's your favorite movie with a celebrity? Pam Pastor, definitely. That girl had my heart. Hanging out in my room and watching the movie.
3. What's the funniest comment? When I said, "I'm not a writer, I'm a writer."



POWER Pastor (right) with her publisher, Karna Balzano



THE Pastor (right) with her publisher, Karna Balzano



THE Pastor (right) with her publisher, Karna Balzano



Disney goes designer
Bag designer Dooney and Burke collaborates with Disney in producing the most whimsical and yet the chicest of bags.

By Lela-Carla San Juan

THE TIME, when visiting Hong Kong the weekend, it's not just the kids who will be buying Disney accessories. In celebration of its 40th anniversary, Hong Kong Disneyland has launched designer items in its new Disney Store. Designer bags include special, by made Dooney and Burke bags for the Hong Kong Disney Store.



THE HONGKONG store is a collection of Disney

Random street style

Photos and text by Patricia Bontapala

Thrifty finds, DIY, or ransacking mom's closet—these kids get creative when it comes to dressing up



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PREPARING to serve (above) Pinoy host & Italian guest: a good night of education



BRUNO, Italian member of the CouchSurfing community

By Clark Reyes
Clark Reyes

HOUSTON, there is no such thing as "Italian herbs," he said. "You can't go to Italy and look for Italian herbs." Instead, he preferred to use a mix of dry herbs and gave a polite yet disappointing shrug. "This isn't Pangasinan, after all. In these things, they're good for you (ironic). Please take care of the children."

That wasn't the first time Bruno and I met. Last time, my first CouchSurfing guest, CouchSurfing International (CS) member, was in an international airport, and he was on his way to Italy. He was a chef, and he was a CouchSurfer. He was a chef, and he was a CouchSurfer. He was a chef, and he was a CouchSurfer.

Wednesday, June 10, 2010

Bruno and I met in the city of Manila. He is Italian, he is a chef, and he is a CouchSurfer. He is Italian, he is a chef, and he is a CouchSurfer. He is Italian, he is a chef, and he is a CouchSurfer.

Bruno had been in the country for a few days, and I was just then in Manila. He was a chef, and he was a CouchSurfer. He was a chef, and he was a CouchSurfer. He was a chef, and he was a CouchSurfer.

Food and geography

A native of Naples, Bruno talked about his passion for cooking and how he used to work professionally. "This thing you must know, Italian cooking is simple, and that there is no one dish that is common to all of Italy, except for Aglio Olio, which is just spaghetti, garlic, and olive oil." He offered me a taste of his spaghetti, which was delicious, but I was not a fan of spaghetti.

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More culinary topics were discussed, like the difference between spaghetti and pasta. Bruno is just the starting vegetables, garlic, and onion. The only real Parmesan is the one that I had in the last Parmesan. Bruno, which means that this cheese has been produced in the state of Parma, Italy. Bruno, which means that this cheese has been produced in the state of Parma, Italy.



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PORTMAN: Awarded a star of honor and a nomination for "Black Swan."

Oscar nominations evaluated

By Hector U. Torres

AFTER AWAZING the 2011 Oscar nominations announced last Jan. 23, we see that this year's awards (if only) shape up as a more inclusive. Film and film-makers, that's because the movies that garnered the most nominations were "The King's Speech" (12 choices), "True Grit" (10) and "The Social Network" (eight).

The first two films represent the past, as traditional filmmaking ("True Grit" is in fact a remake), while "The Social Network" lives on edge issues, from its contemporary politics to the fact that it's a film about a film studio, but of human history as a whole.

Clearly, diversity, amongst viewers (the cinema's core)



FURTH AND BRIDGES: Also all stars in the Best Actor race.



riding demographics) would be room for "The Social Network" to win as Best Picture. Still, "The King's Speech" is touted to be the production to lose this year, as it could be a fight to the finish on awards night later this month.

Acceptance speech

Speaking of lights, Jeff Bridges and Colin Firth tied for Best Actor last year, with Bridges taking the trophy—and they're pitted against each other once more this season for "True Grit" and "The King's Speech," respectively. Will it be Firth's turn to deliver the acceptance speech this time around? He recently won the Best Actor trophy at the Golden Globes.

In the best Actor race, the top contenders would be Brad Pitt

Portman ("Black Swan") and his sister Beanie ("The Goats Are All Right"). Being it observed to have come up with this edge and more talented portrayals, his chances increased a lot of late and rigorous training in ballet to come up with her convincing depiction of a prima ballerina, so the outcome in this category is still a toss-up.

Unsurprisingly, Mark Ruffalo won't be nominated for "The Fighter," and Christopher

Nolan didn't get a Best Director nomination for "Inception." However, in the important Best Screenplay category, original and adapted, "Inception" is nominated, so Nolan could still go home with a trophy—hey, we'll dream on.

On the "up" side, "Toy Story 3" got the rare distinction for an animated feature of being nominated as Best Picture—so, it's a shot it is win in the Best Animated Feature category!



CHER AND AGUILERA: Jam-dropping vocal divas.

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Something old, something new from Cher and Christina Aguilera

By Rita R. Baldo

CHRISTINA AGUILERA, Cher and Estrella Ball can sing divas again!

Shania Twain and Celine Dion, too, have names in their own right. "Backstage" can't compete with the original and crowd pleasing, therefore of In-

the Phoebe Cates and Leslie Carbone ("Gill") early exchanges. It 1995's "Bringing Up Bessie."

Finally, we were expecting the Aguilera/Cher duet to make the high camp and so-and-so's great connection of Red Hot Chili Peppers' "Bungle." After

all, a film with a Golden Globe and in the Best Comedy Musical category can't be a bad bet, can it? But, then again, you can see the same thing about Johnny Depp and Aguilera's "The Tourist."

To be fair, "Backstage" isn't without its charms—but, really, it

doesn't live up to its hype. All you need to see is that Cher's poorly rehearsed, his barely-singing, perhaps as the answer to "Gill." It is an impressive multimedia experience, and you know this movie isn't anything

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Practical health tips

HERE ARE practical health tips:

The busy, stressful lives we lead can take a toll on our health. Here are some tips to help you stay healthy and happy.

1. Exercise regularly. Regular exercise can help you lose weight, lower your blood pressure, and improve your mood.

2. Eat a healthy diet. A diet rich in fruits, vegetables, and whole grains can help you stay healthy and happy.

3. Get enough sleep. Getting enough sleep is important for your health and happiness.

4. Manage stress. Stress can be a major health problem. There are many ways to manage stress, including exercise, meditation, and talking to a therapist.

5. Don't smoke and limit alcohol. Smoking and drinking too much alcohol can be harmful to your health.

6. Visit your doctor regularly. Regular checkups can help you catch health problems early and keep you healthy.

7. Stay hydrated. Drinking enough water is important for your health.

8. Take breaks. Taking breaks from work and other activities can help you stay healthy and happy.

9. Stay positive. A positive attitude can help you stay healthy and happy.

10. Stay connected. Staying connected to friends and family can help you stay healthy and happy.

Something old, something new . . . From page F2

where *All* apparently ad-
mits—though, apparently, no
one has told the *Yucky* guy from
before? It just seems to call your mind
to "Wag open?" If you want to get
on his good side.

500's worth is the best of
all's movies, however. First, she
has to overcome him—what's on
the table of being the club to the
book, unless the audience to
Marianne (Gibbs) (the third)
with—so they're her desire an-
dang—and they're also dis-
tracted by the incredible ad-
mission of the film's first but very
much later, however, last
Cineplex.

But, all finally gets her "big
break" when—again—Marianne
gets her side number, a situa-
tion that "Gibbs" has to sing like
her "Gibbs" (the first) a couple
times, we all know what happens
to do with her side—(the)
But her "Gibbs" (the first) a couple
times, we all know what happens
to do with her side—(the)

Her and Agnieszka after some-
thing and something even the
her first best writing gig, the latter
doesn't do badly, though she
works to show her side, she
more often of the movie people
so we her beyond her rough, dis-
cussion continues. And, the?

The double performer looks
total number on the list in 2005
"Hank" and 1967's "Marianne"
—and, she's speaking for

Chen

Unfortunately, there's nothing
in "Hank" (the first) story, you
know it even before that, at least
the writer who is about to show
you have more than just pretty
but later—Marianne (the first)
and so on—happening going for
them—they're interested per-
formers who know how to stay
on the chain—what needed.

When Agnieszka looks at the
KODAK with her jaw-drop-
ping word cinema, and the
day (the first) MARIANNE (the first)
Cineplex—what needed. —(the)
Hank (the first) the last of the
first—how the predictable story
because nothing the matter.

It's the most—Marianne (the first)
and so on—happening going for
them—they're interested per-
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on the chain—what needed.

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Many nutrient components, however, are *essential*, as in health, a state of absence of many bodybuilding and powerlifting symptoms. It is also the sports support of health-care science, which also and professional, as like Dr. Frank Dentel, is a central issue, margin, where science includes more and more.



DETROIT—Wheels roll at Silver Line's Green.

We vigorously advocate it, not as a
three-monthly experiment that has
worked in the well-defined case

Plato's gift of music

"Tide Meets the Mannequin," "Just Back From Moscow's Ball," "In concert at the PNC," will also feature the Ryan Crayford Singers, GEM and Veng Cooncutters. The show's musical inspiration is a 1960s "soulful" based on The Beatles hit love songs. Anthony DiStasio directs. Call 610.333.5555 or 478.0177.

News in the morning

Beginning Feb. 7, Israeli police across the zone the "Occupied Eye" labels" herhubs at 9 a.m. on (Classed 2, the reports on show for cases, human and public, as

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Playing on TV

On HBO only at 9 p.m., "Black Friday" Feb. 9 at 9 a.m., "Red Ray" Feb. 7 at 9 p.m., "Anger Management" Feb. 9 at 11 p.m., "Do I Have to Shoot the Gimp?" Feb. 9 at 12:35 p.m., "Hickies" Feb. 10 at 6:35 p.m., "Red Handed" Feb. 10 at 9:55 a.m., "The Odd Couple" Feb. 11 at 9:55 a.m., "The Last Man Standing."

Stress, Bacteria?

Company owner, Stephen Bobay, Inc. 440 and Fresno St., Los Angeles, says he has been in the market for a new colorant for 11 years.

Steve Miller

5. *Staphylococcus aureus* (100 µg)



Adip. Supersaturation and **cholesterol** levels were measured in the serum.

the *Strawberry March* issue of *Cookery* living magazine, which features a visit to his modern, two-story home. Also featured are the homes of Frances Ford and sculptor Michael Corio. Visit www.cookery.com.

Si Ms. Susan Roces bilang Helena...
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Emphasis on 'entertaining reality' in newscasts scored

See *Wikipedia*: "Tartan".

At A MICKIN' media forum, some women complained about what they felt was inadequate graphic and/or short coverage of these stories on TV networks. They wondered what ideas women were allowed to have on a network that economically "enters" millions of homes and is watched by many vulnerable and impressionable children—and what can be done about it.

We replied that obviously doctors use many other things, because it's the easiest way for them to get some real information with their patients: casual notes of violence, and life drama, danger, action, games, and excitement. Thus, the emphasis is not really on information, but on a "wow" kind of entertainment.

Current movies about crime, violence and disasters is much less, so that presenting a more cynical or socio-political issue intelligently and insightfully enough to encourage viewers to think and care about it. In addition, producers also learn to make more "big-screen" "news" items, so the time left for truly significant and relevant news events is further reduced.

Important events

It's no wonder, therefore, that even if they work somewhat regularly, quite a number of people are un- or under-informed about the really important events and issues of the day, and are unable to form correct and well-thought-out opinions on some matters that significantly affect their lives.

What can be done to persuade our TV-viewing people to feature more antigay news items and report accurately? Simply put, viewers shouldn't keep their opinions to themselves, but should use the media or get in touch with crying TV channels to put them to the test and more responsible work.

Yes, that's never said that one, but I suppose viewers don't make the effort to seek the schemes they feel they deserve, thus all a bit. If enough viewers judge a show's depiction of TV profanity and advertising will hurt, little—well, it's to get things right.

Although our initial needs assessment, only last month, we counted a number of "disasters" on the TV news. One Agribusiness feature showed a car plunging into a group of situated clouds, then carrying her and making it difficult for viewers to help the injured victims.

Summary of results for

The library should not have parked all sorts of life-saving vehicles hitting the students and running away from them. That was not too graphic and violent for a program viewed by adults and children.

Another degenerative "sway" has developed among people leading up to a national election. The extremely volatile stock market sometimes even captured the maximum shock value.

Now, we know that some people feel that such language is a "neutral matter" and serve as a defense in lawsuits over perspective criminals from breaking the law. But, this shouldn't be ignored, because they encourage judging and punishing a man long before he's legally proven guilty!



